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Foreign Patents

<u>PATENT NO.</u>	<u>COUNTRY</u>	<u>DATE</u>
GB 2 030 334	United Kingdom	Apr. 2, 1980
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Publications

AMZA, C., et al.; "DATA REPLICATION STRATEGIES FOR FAULT TOLERANCE AND AVAILABILITY ON COMMODITY CLUSTERS"; XP000988678; International Conference on Dependable Systems and Networks, Los Alamitos, CA IEEE COMP.; June 25, 2000; pages 459-467

NAGAR, S., et al.; "ISSUES IN DESIGNING AND IMPLEMENTING A SCALABLE VIRTUAL INTERFACE ARCHITECTURE"; Parallel Processing Conference Proceedings; IEEE, 2000; XP010516421; pages 405-412

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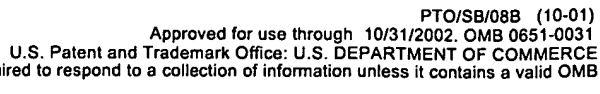
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